

## HYDE PARK

The Cong'l church realized about a dozen dollars from the Movie benefit last Friday night.

The L. C. A. "Caberet" comes Friday night of this week. A very entertainment is promised.

Mrs. Parker Collins and daughter, Dorothy, are spending a few days in Montpelier and Barre.

County court is out of the way for this winter and therefore Hyde Park will resume its usual "peaceful quietude."

L. M. Drew, C. F. Eddy, Dewey Hanley and L. H. Lewis attended the Shrine meeting at Montpelier last Friday evening.

Judge Fish delivered his address upon "Stephen A. Douglass" at the Library last Saturday evening before the Ladies' Club. There was a fair attendance and a very interesting and instructive address was given upon this noted statesman.

A robust, healthy-looking and well-dressed tramp showed up here one night last week and asked in a dignified manner, "Where's the overseer? I want a night's lodging?" He was put on the right track and Overseer Lanpher turned him over to the tender mercies of Sheriff Stevens, who housed him over night and breakfasted the next morning. When interviewed at that time the "knight of the road" said he had a good night's lodging and good food; that he stopped the night before at a hotel in another part of the county, but his accommodations here were far better. When asked where he was going he replied "I am going east," and, majestically started off, looking for "pastures new."

## Death of Martin Ovitt

Martin Ovitt, aged 59 years, died last Friday from enlargement of the liver. Although he had not been in very good health for some time, he was confined to the house only about a week. The funeral was held from his late home Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Best of Morrisville officiating. M. B. White was the undertaker in charge. Burial was at Hardwick beside his wife, who died a little over a year ago.

Martin Ovitt was born in Enosburg, a son of Uriah Ovitt. His early life was spent in Eden. About fifteen years ago he located in Hyde Park, which place has since been his home. During all these years he was an employe in the hide house, a position he held faithfully filled and where he was held in high regard by his fellow-workmen, who attended the funeral in a body and who remembered their associate with a very nice floral tribute.

The deceased is survived by a son, George, a brother John, of Morrisville, and a sister, Mrs. Rixford, of Derby Line.

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## Deer Killed in Lamoille County

The total number of deer killed this year in Lamoille County was 85. Here are the names of the hunters and the towns in which the deer were killed:—

## BELVIDERE

R. A. Thomas L. L. Davis  
Fred L. Joels Aldis Brakyoung  
Jas. B. Dagan Dr. L. A. Abernethy  
Guy Lafountain Wm. Wright  
Edward Blair

## CAMBRIDGE

Albert J. Cutting Levi Burnor, Jr.  
Ralph Tyler Fred Bacon  
O. C. Hitchcock Geo. Bassett  
Geo. Richardson Roy Chamberlain  
Louis Blodah Howard Wilson

## EDEN

G. I. Austin Ralph Thompson  
Irving Ritchie Jess Royce  
W. G. Foss Adelbert Lock  
H. W. Hinds Clarence Lowell  
Frank Potter C. H. Glass  
Henry Smith Geo. LaFleur  
Max Ohear A. E. Partlow  
Henry Hinds

## ELMORE

Elwin Boyce W. M. Owen  
B. E. Eaton Dennis Flanders  
W. D. Hamilton

## HYDE PARK

W. W. Heath Cecil Salls  
E. C. Thomas Jerry Furnace  
Bert Wilkinson Elmer Jones

## JOHNSON

Horace Wardner Percy Laduke  
Vernon Stiles R. C. Sargent  
E. W. Annis W. W. Patch  
Wm. Notemeyer Ward Cleary  
Elbridge Fuller Franklin Hooper  
W. J. Holmes

## MORRISTOWN

Paul Newland S. E. Venette

## STOWE

Walter Gibbs G. E. Curtis  
Eaton Godfrey Walter Boyea  
Edgar Jewett Emmons Sargent  
Clayton Corron Andy Mansfield  
Jeannette Bushnell Ward Chaffee  
Frank Haskins Frank Russell  
Mark J. Chaffee Gordon Bull  
Kenneth Bull Will Camery  
Irving E. Lovely

## WATERVILLE

Rolls Thomas Geo. Stygles  
C. W. Mancheser Walter Rogers

## WOLCOTT

Merl Wheeler Freeman Clark  
F. E. Cameron Nelson Grant  
Walter Sabin Harold Wilkinson

## Resurrection Flower.

In Egypt is a plant called the resurrection flower. It is seen as a little ball hanging on a fragile stem, resembling in color and shape a shriveled poppyhead. Sleeping, but not dead, the flowers are aroused by being immersed in water, and then supported in an upright position. Soon the fibers began to stir. Slowly they unfold, until, with petals thrown back, it becomes a beautiful starry flower, not unlike an aster.

## You're So Good, Santa Dear



## CANDY MADE AT HOME

HOW TO PREPARE SWEETMEATS FOR CHRISTMAS.

Box of Dainties—Sure to Make One of the Most Appreciated Yuletide Presents.

A BOX of home-made candies is a welcome gift much appreciated at Christmas. There is an art in preparing such a box for one's friends and the end gained is worth the trouble.

Candy boxes of any desired size can be purchased at a box factory, or boxes covered with the art crepe paper, sold at so reasonable prices nowadays, make attractive receptacles. A bolt of crimson baby ribbon, a few sprigs of holly and several sheets of white tissue paper will enable a dainty package to be sent from one's home.

In packing the candies it is wise to cut paraffin paper and stiff Bristol boards to fit the boxes in layers. A sheet of paper, then the layer of board will keep the softer candies, such as chocolate cream, from crushing.

Uncooked candies are never palatable, and no amount of flavoring will mask a raw taste. On this account take the trouble to prepare fondant, which is the basis of all the cream candies. It is not at all difficult to make if the instructions are correctly carried out.

A week before Christmas prepare the fondant, which can be placed in a jar, cover with a damp cloth and keep in a cool place until two days before Christmas, when it should be made up into the various confections. This time will allow the chocolate, used in dipping, to become firm.

Colorings for tincting can also be purchased at the druggists, and always state that they are to be used for color food to insure getting the vegetable coloring.

Red will produce any shade of pink, rose or scarlet according to the amount used. Violet will produce any shade from pale lavender to deep blue; pistachio or spinach will give green; egg yolk can be used for the yellows and a few drops of strong coffee will give a mode shade and chocolate will give the browns.

The following table may be a guide in flavorings: White—vanilla or almond; pink—strawberry, raspberry, rose; green—pistachio or almond; pale yellow—lemon; deep yellow—orange; mode—maple or coffee; brown—vanilla—Elizabeth W. Morrison in the Housekeeper.

## Worth Keeping.

The Christmas tree will soon be thrown out on the garbage pile. The Christmas tree, but let us all freeze to the Christmas smile.

## Who's Dolly Is You?



## ORIGIN OF CHRISTMAS

FIRST CELEBRATION WAS HELD IN THE YEAR 98.

Forty Years Later Before It Was Officially Adopted as Christian Festival.

CHRISTMAS was first celebrated in the year 98, observes a writer, but it was 40 years later before it was officially adopted as a Christian festival; nor was it until about the Fifth century that the day of its celebration became permanently fixed on December 25. Up to that time it had been irregularly observed at various times of the year—in December, in April and in May, but most frequently in January.

In Rome the Saturnalia, or feast of Saturn, fell at about the same time as our Christmas, and it marked the greatest festival of the Roman year. The city abandoned itself to gaiety. Universal mirth was the order of the day; friends feasted friends, and foes were reconciled. All social distinctions were laid aside. Work was stopped, and no war was ever entered upon at that time.

One by one other legends and customs have been disproved and overthrown, yet none has dared attack the legends and the customs sacred to Christmas. It remains with us, and will always remain. Christmas marks the winter solstice. The days begin to lengthen, and the sun no longer journeys away from the earth, but enters upon its return. It is a promise of renewed light and warmth, of the approach of summer, and men hailed these signs with every expression of gladness.

When Christianity spread abroad, men adapted the old customs of their ancestors to the new order of things.

The word Yuletide, used to give a picturesque, oldtime flavor to the Christmas idea, comes from Yule, an old name for Christmas. The term springs from an English word used to designate the two months of December and January, one of which was called the "former Yule," the other the "after Yule." There is a legend which relates that it was the custom years ago for every Saxon household to burn the Yule log on Christmas eve. This was a great gnarled root or tree trunk, cut the day before Christmas and brought into the hall on Christmas eve with great ceremony and accompanied by music. Each member of the household would sing a Yule song, standing on the center of the log.

In Germany and other European countries it was believed by the children that the Christmas tree glittering with candles and brightness, and the gifts found beneath the tree, were the work of jolly old St. Nicholas, or Santa Claus, as we know him. This kindly saint was no legendary character. He lived about 300 A. D., and was a noted bishop of Asia Minor. He was looked upon as a patron saint of generosity because of his liberality. The idea of St. Nicholas traveling in a sleigh drawn by reindeer originated in the cold northern countries. The reindeer were the swiftest animals known, and they must needs fly like the wind to carry St. Nick the rounds of the world in one night.

Almost as important as the gift giving and gift receiving on Christmas day is the feast of dainties spread on that occasion. But even the Christmas dinner has its origin in the dim, distant past. Feasts were always the accompaniment of any festival. In Egypt, at the winter solstice, every family killed and ate a goose as a religious observance. We preserve the custom of eating fowl on Christmas, but the toothsome turkey has more generally supplanted the goose.

## Cold Chicken Cutlets.

Cold boiled chicken may be mixed with crumbs, egg and cream until of a consistency to shape into cutlets. Dip these in hot fat. Serve with cream.

## Children Cry for Fletcher's

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*Chas. H. Fletcher*

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## MOVIE TOWN AIDS HOUSING

Fake Belgian Village, at a Little More Cost, Provides for a Score of Families.

Even the movies have their utilitarian uses, it seems. In some sections of the country they seem in a fair way to help solve our housing problems. At least they did so in a Westchester town not long ago.

The scene—the movie scene, that is—was a Belgian village, and with the accustomed profusion of the picture producers the entire village must needs be built. The intent and purpose of the director was to build the houses of board and paper-mache, and then destroy them all when the picture was completed. Certain residents of the town, however, were possessed with foresight, says the New York Sun. The township was suffering from building restriction, and some one figured that the movie men could build their village of slightly more substantial material at a comparatively little increased cost. The proposition was put to the director, who agreed to let the town supply him with materials and labor on a proportionate basis.

As a result the town has added nearly twenty new houses and twenty new families have moved in, paying the township only slightly more than the property was worth. The township taxes the houses, the housing situation is relieved, the movie men have vanished, and everybody is happy.

## TO RESTORE WORLD WONDER

Mexican Government Will Remove Debris Covering Great Pyramids of the Sun and Moon.

Not only are the two great pyramids, those of the sun and the moon, situated near San Juan de Teotihuacan, Mex., to be restored to their original lines, but the Mexican government has made an appropriation for excavating and reconstructing the ruins of the great buried city surrounding the pyramids, which flourished more than 4,000 years ago. During the last four years immediately preceding the revolutionary period, considerable work had been done in the matter of clearing away the accumulation of debris that covered the pyramid of the sun, and it stands forth today as one of the greatest wonders of the world, according to archeologists. This pyramid is three times as large as the great Cheops pyramid near Cairo, Egypt, and in its construction giant blocks of stone were used. It is 1,400 feet square at the bottom. Its height is only 200 feet, and but for this fact would be one of the most imposing structures ever made by man, it is stated. The pyramid of the sun is smaller than the one of the moon.

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## Estate of Celia A. Grow

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Lamoille, Commissioner, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Celia A. Grow, late of Morrisville, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the office of Russell S. Page, in the town of Hyde Park, in said district, on the 22nd day of December and 3rd day of June next, from 10 o'clock p.m. until 4 o'clock p.m. on each of said days, and that six months from the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1921, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

## Estate of George W. Brown

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.  
The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Lamoille, Commissioner, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of George W. Brown, late of Morrisville, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid at the office of Russell S. Page, in the town of Morrisville, in said district, on the 21st day of December and the 3rd day of June next, from 9 o'clock a.m. until 3 o'clock p.m. on each of said days, and that six months from the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1921, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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## Estate of Weltha S. Raymore

State of Vermont—District of Lamoille, ss.  
The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Lamoille aforesaid:

To all persons interested in the estate of Weltha S. Raymore, late of Hyde Park, in said district, deceased, GREETING:  
At a Probate Court, holden at Hyde Park, within and for said District, on the 29th day of November, 1921, an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Weltha S. Raymore, late of Hyde Park, in said District, deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid, for Probate.

And it is ordered by said Court that the 19th day of December, 1921, at the Probate Office, in said Hyde Park, be assigned for proving said instrument; and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned by publishing this order three weeks successively in the News and Citizen, a newspaper circulating in that vicinity, in said District, previous to the time appointed.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place aforesaid, and contest the probate of said Will, if you have cause.  
Given under my hand, at Hyde Park, in said district, this 29th day of December, 1921.  
NOYES G. WOOD, Judge.

## Estate of Mary Cady Morgan

State of Vermont—District of Lamoille, ss.  
The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Lamoille aforesaid:

To all persons interested in the Estate of Sarah J. Briggs, late of Eden, in said District, deceased, GREETING:  
At a Probate Court, holden at Hyde Park, within and for said District, on the 29th day of November, 1921, an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mary Cady Morgan, late of Johnson, in said District, deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid, for Probate.

And it is ordered by said Court that the 19th day of December, 1921, at the Probate Office in said Hyde Park, be assigned for proving said instrument; and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned, by publishing this order three weeks successively in the News and Citizen, a newspaper circulating in that vicinity, in said District, previous to the time appointed.

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Given under my hand at Hyde Park, in said District, this 29th day of November, 1921.  
NOYES G. WOOD, Judge.

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